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HARD DAY FOR MR. SHEEHAN

He Refused to Produce His Books Before the Police Committee.

TO BE SENT TO THE GRAND JURY |

Evidence Produced of Sheehan's Defalcation While Comptroller of Buffalo-Heated Colloquy Between Witness and Counsel Goff. in Which the Latter Is Called a Liar.

New York, Oct. 31 .- Police Commissione Sheehan was on the stand nearly the whole day before the senate investigating committee. He refused to produce his bank books at the request of Counsel Goff, and his refusal was ordered placed before the grand jury.

An exciting scene occurred during the examination of witness. He refused to answer a question, and Chairman Lexow ruled that he must do so. Senator Cantor shouted to the stenogra-

"Don't put that down!" He was sharply called to order by the chairman, and a wordy battle ensued. The spec-

tators joined in the uproar, and it was with much difficulty that quiet was restored. Then Counsel Goff asked for the commissomer's bank books. The commissioner re-fused to give them up. He said he would let Mr. Goff look at the bank books at any speci-fied date, but he would not let him have the free use of them.

He read an answer, prepared before he took the stand, setting forth his reasons for refusing to give up his bank books. He denied the legal right of the committee to go into his private affairs unless some specific charge was made that he had accepted a bribe.

Sheplifter Sent to Jail—Annie Remers, alias Annie Rueinhart, a white shoplifter, who got away with a lot of goods from the store of Guy, Curran & Co., and was aircated by Precince Detective Helan, appeared for trial in the police court yesterday. She was fined \$20 or sixty days in jail.

LAID REFORE THE GRAND JUST. After some further testimony Counsel Goff again asked for the books.
"I am standing on my logal rights," said
Commissioner Sheehan, as he again refused toturn over his bank books,

You refuse to give them up?" "Lay this refusal before the district attor-ney and the grand jury," ordered Chairman

Lexow. Commissioner Sheehan smiled as he stepped down from the stand. After recess Mr. Goff went into the reported fait of Commissioner Sheehan to Wali street o sell advance information as to the decision to sell advance information as to the decision of the court of appeals in the sugar trust matter. The witness denied that he was a "huesster of decisions," as charged by a local paper. He denied that he had visited Cord Meyer, H. O. Havemeyer and others in Wall street for the purpose of sailing them advance information. The men who said he had done so were mistaken.

se were misinken.

Mr. Goff produced papers and documents hearing the witness' signatures for the purpose of proving that Commissioner Sheehan had misappropriated \$4,000 while comptroller of the city of finfalo.

The commissioner told how he had re-

quested the mayor to have his accounts examined, and when a shortage was discovered be refunded the amount, \$4,100. He claimed that his coupon and trust necounts became

Mr. Goff asked: "Did you turn over to your successor the seconate of the trust fund; the whole of

The witness did not answer positively.
"Did you turn over \$86,319.84, the amount

of coupon and trust accounts?"
"I turned over the amount on the paper you have in your hand."
"Do you claim," asked Senator O'Connor,
"that the balance of the trust account was eld on the coupen account?" "I do, sir."

THAT BUFFALO DEFALCATION. "Now, sir; is it not a fact that you misappropriated that sum?" "It is not true, sir."

Mr. Goff rend the following dated November 9, 1833:

"Received from John Sheehan the sum of 25,900 in payment of any deficit that may be in his accounts on a proper examination.

"I. J. Manonex.

"Schutzien T. Lagan."

Mr. Goff read another letter dated December 8, 1883. It was addressed to T. J. Ma-

"Dean Sin: You are hereby authorized and requested to use and pay out the money paid by me for the purpose of making good the shortage which was in my account at the time I turned over the comptroller's office to

you. John C. Suerhax,"
In conclusion, Mr. Goff sald:
"I have one question to ask you. Will you produce your bank books?"

"You, a defaulter, a grand larceny thief, refuse to produce your books in the face of "You're a liar. You know you are lying," yelled Commissioner Shesham.
"Your language is intemperate," Senator
O'Comor admonished Mr. Goff, who read
from the statutes to show he had used the

harsh words advisedly. An adjournment was taken till to-morrow. ANACOSTIA NEWS.

Mrs. Andrew Briggs, of Stafford County, Va., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George O. Wal-

Sergt. Kirby served a warrant on W. H. Brinkley, a Monroe street grocer, charging him with violation of police regulations. The case will come up in the police court to-day. Mr. Charles A. Richardson, of the firm of Richardson & Smith, is on a business trip to

Baitimore.

The funeral of Mr. W. W. Fowler, of Centreville, Md., who died Monday, takes place this morning at Mariboro. The rites of the Catholic Church will be celebrated and the remains interred in the Catholic cemetery at

A branch of the Women's Foreign Missions Society will be organized at the M. E. Church to-night. Mrs. Mary E. Wilson, the mis-sionary from Japan, and Mrs. J. McKendree Riley will be present and address the meet-

ing.

Hev. L. B. Wilson, D. D., presiding elder of this district, will preach at the Anacostia M. E. Church Sunday morning.

A Halloween surprise party visited Mr. H. A. Linger, on Harrison street, last evening, and was cordially enterteined by the genial host. Those present were: Missee Georgia Grove, May Bailowell, Emma Bowen, Cinra Barr, Edith Pyles, Mamie McLean, Alice and Ida Linger, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rodfield, Mesers, Charles Sneil, Warren Tolson, James Bowen.

Guaries Suedi, Warren Tolson, James Bowen, Percy Kenting, Julius Tolson, Edgar Grove, and Charles Linger. A gay party left Anneostia last night for a straw ride to Mr.J. H. Powell's benutiful residence, at Rosecraft. It consisted of members of Mr. and Mrs. Powell's Sunday school classes. of air, and airs, rower s Sunday school classes. The best had the house and grounds brilliant-ity lighted with elsetricity furnished by his private plant on the premises, and a delight-ful evening was passed. The following young ladies and gentlemen attended: Miss Gertie

ladies and gentlemen attended: Miss Gertie Drummond, Lottie Barr, Stella Fost, Lynda Pumphrey, Millio Peck, Gertie Barr, Lizzie Walson, Sadie Pumphrey, Messray Harry Halleck, Henry Linger, Frank McLean, Frank Dony, John Fost, Arthur Eno, Arthur Tew, and William Pyles.

The Anacostia Heraid, a new weekly local paper, made its initial accessrance yesterday. Mr. Herbert F. L. Allen is the editor and publisher. It is a four-page, five-column paper. lisher. It is a four-page, five-column paper, crisp, bright, and newsy, and judging from the appearance of its advertising columns has substantial backing in that line.

Albangh's Cha nge of Bill. "Delmonico's at 6," will be the bill on Saturday evening at Albaugh's. Miss Japsen having decided to give one performance of this delightful comedy. She will be ably supported by Mr. Frederic Bond and her entire company, and there is no doubt she will be greated by a large audiance.

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LOCAL NEWS OF ALL SORTS

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The Weather To-day. Fair; westerly winds; no change in temper-

Returned with Most of the Stolen Money— After safely lodging Harvey R. Parkman in a Philadelphia jall, Detective McKenty, of that city, returned yesterday to get the money which Parkman had stolen from his employ ers. After passing through the necessary formalities he left on the 4 p. m. train with a big package in his inside pocket containing 6891. Parkman had stolen \$1,200, and spent

the balance.

Stole Clothing Galore—Sixty days in jail was the sentence imposed yesterday by Judge Miller on Edward Butler and Edward Lane, colored men, who tried to lay in a family supply of winter clothing at the expense of Thomas E. Alexander. Policeman Fennally, who arrested the men, recovered two sack coats, an overcoat, two vosts, three dresses, one pettioont, and two waists.

Had a Penchant for Oysters—Polk Briscoe, a lanky colored man, started out Thesday night to have a "large time," including an oyster feast. In order to have a sufficient quantity of the succellent hivalves, he purloined a barrel of them from the establishment of William E. Stewart & Son. Officer Muller started hot-footed on—Briscoe's trail and landed him in No. 4 police station. Yesterday Judge Miller sent Briscoe to jall for thirty days.

thirty days Toole Will Be Tried To-day-John Toole alias Smith, will be arranged in the police court this forenoon on the charge of defrauding Mrs. Florence Hubastock out of \$20.

Capt. Simmons' Case Postponed—The case against Capt. Heary A. Simmons, of the tug beat Ida Bell Cain, charged with a violation of the Edmunds not, his alleged victim being exteen-year-old Ida M. Sutton, of Alexandria, was called in the police court yesterday. On motion of counsel the hearing was postponed until November 3.

Knifed for Calling Namus—James McDon-ald swore out & warrant in the police court late yesterday afterneon for Fitz Duvall, also white, who lives at First and K streets northwhite, who lives at First and K streets northeast. The charge is assault and battery with
intent to kill. McDonald appeared before
Warrant Clerk Washburn with his head
swathed in bandages and his clothing covered
with blood. He explained that during a controversy he called Duvall a liar, when the
latter whipped out a knife and slashed him
across the head, making three long and deep
wounds, which were dressed by Dr. Gladman.

Mot Schnolal has Cahnach. The Mr. Schno.

Not Schnebel, but Schnabel—The Mr. Schna-bel who asked the assistant district attorney for a decision as to whether he could open a soup-house and give away beer and whisky to his patrons without violating the excise laws was not Mr. Charles Schnebel, but Frank chanbel, a former South Washington bar

tender.

She Slept Out "Under the Stars"—Ellra McDonnid, a sad-eyed colored woman, who did not have clothing enough on her atteausted form "to dust a fiddle," as the old Missouri saying goes, was charged with vagrancy in Judge Kimball's court yesterday. Policeman Romeo Bowie was the prosecuting witness. He testified that Ellra had been sleeping out of doors on the Bloodfield commons during the recent freety nights with "no covering save the skies." She was homeless and the officer thought it best to try and find quarters for her in the workhouse. She was sent down for fifteen days.

Bannagan Granted a New Trial—Judge

Bannagan Granted a New Trial Judge Simball has granted a new trial in the case of Thomas Bannagan, the colored driver for V. T. Walker, a brickmaker, whose team ran ato and caused the death of the race horse Larenment on Long bridge several days ago. Bannagan was found guility and sent to the workhouse, where he is now lying at the point of death. Mr. Hobert I. Miller, the owner of Larzhmont, has entered suit against Mr. Walker, and the latter asked for a new than your stomach to have stolen fifty-five large." police court trial as he says he can produce new evidence and twelve additional wit-

Emulated Coxey's Example—John Harris and Columbus Brown, well-known abouttown characters, yesterday emulated the example of Coxey and Carl Browne, and took trial. possession of the West Capitol parking. In Judge Kimball's court it was shown that they were enjoying a picnic and drinking copious draughts of downp whisky when arrested. Chain gang for thirty days was their sen-

During the trial in Judge Kimball's court esterday, of Octavius Gordon, charged with using profune and indecent language, his honor felt called upon to make some severe strictures on the habit of false swearing, which appears to be a growing evil in both of

used the language charged.

"There is enough perjury committed in this court every day to fill a small-sized juil with prisoners," said Judge Kimbali. "In this case I have my own opinion as to where the perjury lies. The defendant, Mr. Gordon, is dismissed."

Wharton Will to Be Construed—Frank W.

death rate for the District underwent a material decrease last week as compared with
the previous one, according to the report of
the health department for October 27. The
reports of mortality show the number of
deaths to have been ninety-nine, as against
124 in the last report. There was an improvement in the mortality among children under
five years of age of over fifty per cent. as
also a decline in the classes of acute lung
diseases of typical fever and of consume.

dispasses of typical fever and of consume. diseases, of typhoid fever, and of consump-tion. One death from smallpox was reported as having occurred at the smallpox hospital and quarantine station, and four from diph-theria is the northerly portions of the city.

tramps who are heading for the South in order to escape the rigor of the Northern crider to escape the rigor of the Northern climate, attempted to pass through Washington yesterday. They stopped here long enough to beg for a "hand out" of food, and were pulled by the police. In Judge Kimball's court yesterday Charles Tracy, Frank Thompson and Rudolph Kimball, members of the migratory "hobo" fraternity, were sent to the chain gang for ten days each. Kimball was found asleep in the White House grounds by Policeman Lyda.

Fight Rungriger They Stewach - Elijah Cola.

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Eyes Hungrier Then Stomach—Elijah Cole-man, a tall colored man, was called upon to face Judge Kimball yesterday on the charge Eyes Hungrier Than Stomach—Elijah Colaman, a tali colored man, was called upon to face Judge Kimball yesterday on the charge of being a suspicious character. Officer Anderson, of the Fourth precinet, was the prosecutor. He testified that Coleman was with the trio of negroes who stole fifty-five loaves of bread from a box in front of a grocery store in the southwest section several days ago.

days ago.

"Why did you take that bread?" asked
Judge Eimball.
"I was hungry, judge."

"Your eyes must have been more hungry

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The Times reporter has accumulated more evidence pertaining to Dr. Shade, 1232 Four-teenth street, and his successful treatment of evidence peraining to Dr. Sande, 1222 confiteenth street, and his successful treatment of the many consumptives than can possibly be given to the public through the columns of Tha Trans for weeks and months to come.

Ex-Congressman Wise, of Pennsylvania, says that since taking treatment of Dr. Shade for an aggravated form of lung trouble he has derived great benefit. He says that inheler of Dr. Shade's certainly is a grand invention and does him lots of good. Mr. Wise says he has gained five pounds during the past month since taking the mineral treatment for consumption. He has gone out into the country to spend a few days on his Virginia farm, but will return soon to see the dector again to be under his immediate care. Hev. Mrs. King, of Guthrie, Oki., writes that since she began Dr. Shade's treatment, one year ago, she does not cough as much and has gained in weight; is able to cut everything gained in weight; is able to eat everything and drive forty miles over the prairies with her husband to his appointments. She fur-ther states that she desired the doctor to send renewal medicines for her inhaler, also stat-ing that her chest expansion had increased so

uch that her dressmaker was compelled to alter her dress patterns.

Lieut. Garvia, U. S. N., who is taking the mineral treatment for consumption, writes Dr. Shade from his home that he began walking up and down in front of the house a few rods, but now can walk around three or four squares without much trouble. Such reports as these come from prominent and well-known people whose lives are being saved to their friends and loved ones by Dr. Shade's to their friends and loved ones by Dr. Shade's wonderful discovery. Prominent people that everybody know in Washington have been cured of lung troubles, hemorrhages, etc., by Dr. Shade, but on account of their family physicians taking offense it is deemed best not to make their names public, for fear of offending the dear regular doctor. It is our duty, anyhow, to spare them the humiliation of acknowledging Dr. Shade's ability as a specialist. Nobodyneed fear their names will be published without their consent.

loaves. You can go down for thirty days.' Engineer Clark Convicted-Joseph W. nesses for the defense. The case will be re-opened on Saturday, in Judge Kimball's court, the engraver, on trial for three days past in Judge Cole's court for grand lareeny, by getting \$250 from John V. McLain on pre-

Liquor Dealer Lane Assigns—Nathan C. Lane, of No. 868 A street southeast, yester-day made an assignment of his stock of liquors, etc., at No. 467 Ninth street north-west, to John J. Robinson for the benefit of west, to John S. Rounson for the senent of his creditors. The assets are estimated to be worth \$800; the limbilities foot up \$2,850. The largest local creditor is Joseph S. Bar-bour & Son for \$100. Other debts are mainly owed to New York liquor dealers.

He Wants to Pay \$150,000-Francis H. G. White yesterday brought suit against Helen, Josephine, Mary, and Edythe Patten to secure the police courts. Policeman Foley, of the Eighth product, has several witnesses besides himself to testify that Mr. Gordon had used the language charged. The latter in his own defense denied emphatically that he had the transferred this contract on October 1

Gaines, administrator of the estate of the late Robert S. Wharton, yesterday filed suit to se-cure a construction of the will and direction of the administration. He says Wharton left man Charles B. Terry, now in Albany prison for shooting Willis Washington a year ago, has applied to President Cleveland for a pur-don. District Attorney Birney and Judge swered unfavorably.

Death Rate Materially Decreased—The death rate for the District underwent a material decrease last week as compared with the previous one, according to the removal.

court this forenoon,

BARS KEPT AIRTIGHT.

Judge Miller Makes a Ruling That Will

Agitate Saleon-keepers. Ellen Kilroy, who keeps a saleon at Second and F streets southwest, was found guilty,

The act says the bar shall be gept closed,

The Southern Railway will sell tickets to bons fide voters, with certificates, to all points in the territory of the Southern Passenger Association at one fare for the round trip; tickets to be on sale October 19, 20, 26, 27, and November 1 to 5, inclusive, good to return until November 10 oct9,38,nol.

ALEXANDRIA HAPPENINGS.

The all Halloween hop, given by the Southern assembly at Burgundy, Fairfax county, last night was one of the most pleasant of the many hops given by that club. Some fifty young people were present, and dane ing was kept up until after midnight. During the evening refreshments were served in the handsome dining room of the Burgundy mansion. Among those who were present were Misses Gertie Johnstone, Mamie Donwere Misses Gertie Johnstone, Mamie Don-nelly, Virgle Collins, Maggie Ryan, and Dora Ryan, of Washington; Miss Maude Boche, of Alexandria; Misses Buron, Wat-kins, Brown, Walsh, and others, of Fair-fax county; Messrs, Kearney and Reynolds, of Washington; Young, Brown, Watkins, Rowe, and others, of Fairfax county, and Appleh, of Alexandria.

Appich, of Alexandria.

At the next meeting of the Alexandria city council a strong effort is to be made to call up the bill creating the office of city engineer and merging in it the present city surveyorabip. This bill has been hanging in the common council for a year past and has been called up from time to time, but each time the number of votes necessary to pass it were not present. The friends of the measure will try to induce all the members to be present. The new office is to pay \$2,000 per year, and the city engineer is to have charge of all buildings, streets, sowers, etc.

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The work of recording the deed transferring
the Richmond and Danville Railroad and its
branch lines to the new Southern Railway
Company is now being done in the clerk's
office of the corporation court. The deed
makes 110 printed pages and will fill about
sixty pages in the big deed book of the court.
The work will occupy several weeks, only one
person being able to work on it at a time.
This deed has also to be recorded in the
clerk's office of every county in the State
through which the line passes.

In consequence of the overcrowding of the

In consequence of the overcrowding of the lower grades of Snowden public schools, Superintendent Kemper has found it necessary to open a new half-day school, making four half-day schools now in operation in the Complaint was made to the police authorities yesterday evening that Hugh Strider, a dealer in second-hand articles, was beating

his horse on Cameron street, and an officer was sent to stop him. He will be arrested on a charge of cruelty to animals. There was a slight fall of snow, the first of the season here, about midnight Tuesday night, and yesferday morning considerable hall fell about the wharves.

A deed transferring from John Bell and wife, for a consideration of \$500, a lot on the north side of Orenoke street, between St. Asaph and Patrick, was recorded to-day in the clerk's office of the corporation court.

In consequence of the easterly winds several of the wharves were flooded by the high water yesterday. Little Bernard Hooe, the bright three-year old son of Mr. John D. Hooe, ded at his father's home, on Washington street, yester-day morning, after a short illness of diph-theria.

War is to be made against the slot ma-chines now in use in this city, the mayor hav-ing decided that they are gambling devices. Mr. William Burns and Miss Amelia Melchor were united in marriage by the Rev. P. P. Phillips, of St. Paul's Church, at the bride's home on South Fairfax street. ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate families of the contracting parties. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Burns left for Lynchburg.

Will F. Caine, yesterday declined appoint-ment as one of the judges of election for the new Friendship district of the Third ward. Prof. Gruber, the well known musician, who has been visiting his old home in Alexandria, has returned to Asheville, N. C., where he is now in business.

Miss Taylor and Miss Sergeant, of Glouces who have been visiting friends here, returned home yesterday.

Miss Fannie E. Steiner, daughter of Mr. Miss Fannie E. Steiner, daugner of Mr. James B. Steiner, and Mr. Carter H. Smith will be married this morning at 10 o'clock by the Roy. Dr. Suter, in Christ Church. The young couple will be at home to their many friends in this city after November 15.

The schooner Charles E. Merrison, Capt. Hewes, sailed from Windsor, Nova Scotia, for this port on October 27, with plaster for this

Mount Vernon, Boyal Arch Chapter, A. F. and A. M., will meet to-morrow night, when degrees will be conferred upon several per-When the attendant at the almshouse went

When the attendant at the almshouse went to call old Capt. Jefferson Elliott yesterday morning he found him dead, the end having come during the night. Capt. Elliott was over ninety years of age, and for many years was janitor at the county court house on North Columbus street. During the month of October forty-five deeds and nine marriage licenses were re-corded in the clerk's office of the corporation

JOHN WAS NOT TOO BIG. Attempt Made to Abduct a Lad Who is Ten

Years Old.

The attempted abduction of a ten-year-old white boy, named John Minnix, was frustrated yesterday morning by Officer James T. Fitzgerald, of the Sixth precinct. The lad was found in one of the cheap lodging-houses that line B street between

First and Third streets northwest by the policeman early yesterday morning. In the police court little John told Judge Rimball that an unknown white man met him Tuesthat an unknown white man met him Tues-day night and invited him to leave the city and have a jolly good time.

As they could not catch a train Tuesday night the unknown man proposed that the boy put up with him in one of the lodging-houses until morning. Before they could take a train Policeman Fitzgerald spoiled the

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Keep Step with the Arithmetical Proces-

sion-The "Poll" and the Persimmon. Every little boy or girl in town, who is interested in the piano contest, knows that it is the largest pole that takes down the persimmon. In this voting contest they also know that it is the biggest poll that takes down the plane now on exhibition at Ellis & Co. If they keep this well in mind they can safely but that they have the keynote of the situation at their finger's ends. Another suggestion is that, in playing this piece, they should learn to play in the highest possible octave. Eight votes, or notes, may be the winning number in the finale, but it is just as well to remember that one vote under will be fatal, while one vote over will win the prize. Keep yourselves at concert pitch all the time, and keep step with the procession as you see it every day in Tax Thus.

Votes received after 5 p. m. will not be included in the naxt day's score, but will be held over for one day.

At the close of the polls yesterday the vote down the plane now on exhibition at Ellis

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Central High School
Smallwood.
Eastern High School.
Webster. Colored High School.....

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